

## ABOUT EQUAL IN CATCHERS

But the Red Sox Backstops  
Have Had More Ex-  
perience

KILLIFER IS AS GOOD  
AS BOSTON'S BEST

Averages of the Receiving  
End of the Battery  
Nearly the Same

New York, Oct. 6.—Offensively and defensively there appears to be little advantage for either the Boston Americans or the Philadelphia Nationals, in the catching departments, in the coming world's series. Both the Red Sox and the Phillies have a trio of backstops who are far above the ordinary in ability in this particular feature of the game. The American league champions in Manager Carrigan, Cady and Thomas have three experienced catchers who are thoroughly at home behind the plate and familiar with every detail of the position. Killifer is the veteran of the Phillies' catching force, but Burns has shown during the past season that he is not far behind his chief in all-round ability, while Adams, the third string catcher is a youngster who, in his few try-outs, has given promise of measuring up to the standards set by his two superiors in the near future.

While experience counts for much in the work behind the plate, it is not always the veterans who shine in the big "baseball series." If this was the case, the Americans would have a wide margin of reserve strength, since Carrigan and Cady both figured prominently in the famous eight-game struggle between the Giants and the Red Sox in 1912, whereas none of the Phillies' catchers has figured in a fight for the premier pennant of the diamond game. Thus it can be seen that so far as experience is concerned, the Red Sox have Carrigan and Cady to the Phillies' Killifer, Burns and Thomas, are about equal in this respect, while Moran's third eligible is an unknown quantity.

So far as the figures for the season's work can be used for a basis of comparison, however, there is nothing to indicate that much difference of ability exists in the actual work of the players under consideration. Killifer has caught a majority of the games played by the Phillies this year, with Burns filling in as emergency and relief catcher. The former has a fielding average of .973 and batted .247, while Burns has batted one point above Killifer's average and fielded four points below. Adams' record fails to show participation in play for the pennant.

For Boston, Cady and Thomas have done the major part of the backstopping, although Manager Carrigan has handled the delivery of the left-handers from time to time. Cady is the best of the trio if judgment can be based on the season's unofficial averages. In something over 70 games he has batted .277 and fielded .976. Thomas, in about an equal number of games has fielded .971 and batted .239. Carrigan has received credit for playing in a little more than half the number of games that Cady and Thomas have officiated in and his averages are: Fielding, .976; batting, .297.

The individual averages and the averages of the rival catching departments, considered as units, are as follows:

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Thomas	.....	.239	.971	go
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Burns	.....	.248	.969	pu
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**Johnston Will Rest.**  
San Francisco, Oct. 6.—William M. Johnston, the 20-year-old San Francisco tennis player who recently won the national singles championship in the East, expects to retire from the game for the remainder of the season, according to an announcement yesterday.

**CAPITAL \$100,000,000.**

**Charter for Midvale Steel & Ordnance Co. Applied for in Delaware.**  
Dover, Del., Oct. 6.—The Corporation Trust Co. has filed application for a certificate of incorporation of the Midvale Steel & Ordnance Co. with capital of \$100,000,000, all one class of stock; par value of shares \$100.

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BEAUTIFY YOUR HAIR**

Hair Stops Falling Out and Gets Thick,  
Wavy, Strong and Beautiful.

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Your hair becomes light, wavy, fluffy, abundant and appears as soft, lustrous and beautiful as a young girl's after a "Dandruff hair cream." Just try this—moisten a cloth with a little Dandruff cream and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. This will cleanse the hair of dirt, dandruff and excessive oil and in just a few moments you have doubled the beauty of your hair.

Besides beautifying the hair at once, Dandruff cream dissolves every particle of dandruff; cleanses, purifies and invigorates the scalp, forever stopping itching and falling hair.

But what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use, when you will actually see new hair—fine and downy at first—grow—just exactly new hair—growing all over the scalp. If you care for pretty, soft hair and lots of it, surely get a 25-cent bottle of Dandruff's Dandruff cream from any druggist or toilet store, and just try it.—Advt.

## THAT LIVER IS NO GOOD

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## TWO SUPER- DREADNOUGHTS AT \$18,000,000 EACH

Secretary Daniels Says These Will Be  
Included in Building Programme  
Now Under Way.

Washington, Oct. 6.—Secretary Daniels made it plain yesterday that the navy building programme now in course of preparation will include at least two superdreadnoughts, each to cost \$18,000,000. "We have learned nothing from the European war," the secretary said, "that shakes our faith in these heavily armored ships as the main fighting line of the navy." He would not indicate whether more than two battleships would be asked for, or how many battle cruisers his estimate would include. The number of ships of each class to be recommended, he said, had not been finally decided. The secretary will see President Wilson again during the week and expects to complete his estimates a week from to-day.

## LANSING HEARS FACTIONS.

Secretary of State Receives Carranza's Representative.

Washington, Oct. 6.—Sec. Lansing said yesterday he probably would confer with Eliseo Arredondo, Gen. Carranza's agent here, and that within the next two days he would see Enrique C. Llorente, Washington representative of Gen. Villa. As Mr. Arredondo is the authorized representative of Carranza here, Sec. Lansing probably will not discuss the situation with any other Carranza supporters. Mr. Arredondo has full instructions from Gen. Carranza to explain his viewpoint and purposes and other Carranza leaders in the United States have placed the entire question in his hands for negotiation with the American government. With respect to the Villa faction, it is possible that Sec. Lansing will give audience to several leaders who are here, among them Manuel Bonilla and Roque Gonzales Garza, former president of the so-called convention government.

Mr. Arredondo gave out a telegram from Gen. Carranza declaring that the courts were being reorganized in Mexico and business in general was resuming its activities. The message said:

"The department of justice has reorganized the courts of common law in the federal district and federal territories and they are to-day operating normally in all states controlled by the constitutionalists. The department of justice is now engaged in establishing the local tribunals and courts of first instance, and I have in preparation the legislation which will regulate the operation of all courts in the republic during the term of the provisional government. Business in general is resuming its activities, particularly in mercantile circles. Merchandising is now being given unrestrained movement and also a preference in the matter of transportation. The banks have also resumed business, although certain of them are deliberately putting obstacles in the course of the development of the economic policy of the constitutionalist government. In this matter, however, I have already issued a decree, which I am transmitting separately, providing that they arrange for the regulation of the circulation of their bills in accordance with law. "I have the pleasure of informing you that very shortly railway traffic between Mexico City and Laredo will be opened."

## WILL CONTEST.

Involving the Estate of the Late A. G. Spaulding.

San Diego, Cal., Oct. 6.—Contest of the will of the late A. G. Spaulding, baseball pioneer and millionaire sporting goods merchant, was to be entered yesterday immediately after the filing of the will for probate for Spaulding's son, Keith, who charges that the will was procured through the "undue influence" of his wife, Elizabeth Churchill Spaulding, and Mrs. Katherine Tingley, head of the Universal Brotherhood and Theosophical society at Point Loma, Cal. Spaulding died at his residence in Point Loma, September 9 last. The contest alleges that for several years before his death, Spaulding was not in his right mind; that his mental and physical strength was impaired by advancing age, by sickness and by business worries. About \$2,000,000 was accumulated by Spaulding and his first wife, who died in 1899, according to the contestant. This, says Keith Spaulding, was the result of the joint industry of his father and mother and was accumulated before the second marriage which took place in 1909.

Mrs. Elizabeth Churchill Spaulding, the widow, who filed the will for probate, and who was named as executrix, estimated the estate to be worth \$600,000. Keith Spaulding was under the terms of the will to receive \$100,000, of which amount he had already received \$65,000. The adopted son, Albert Spaulding, also was bequeathed \$100,000, of which he had received \$1,000. The remainder of the estate was left to Mrs. Spaulding.

## WITH MUCH INTEREST.

Voyage of "K" Submarine Boats Across Pacific Is Watched.

Washington, Oct. 6.—Navy department officials are watching with interest the progress of the four United States submarines of the K class which are now making the long voyage under their own power from San Francisco to Honolulu. They will relieve the F group of submarines at Honolulu which will be towed home and put out of commission until defects disclosed by the accident to the F-4, resulting in the loss of 21 men, have been remedied.

This is the first time American submarines have been sent upon so long a journey—2,200 miles—under instructions to use their own power and without refueling en route. When the F boats were sent to Honolulu they were towed part of the way, and the submarines now in Philippine waters were sent to their stations on the decks of steamers. The K boats have a fuel capacity for more than 4,000 miles and unless they encounter a long haul they are expected to make the journey without difficulty. The boats will travel between eight and 10 knots an hour and are expected to make the trip in about 10 days.

## IN LOCAL MARKETS

Fresh Eggs Are Scarce and  
Higher—32c Per  
Dozen

BUTTER PRICES  
ARE VERY FIRM

Creamery, 30c, and Dairy,  
28@29c—Potatoes  
55@60c

Barre, Vt., Oct. 6, 1915.

Fresh eggs scarce and higher. Butter prices very firm. Wholesale quotations: Dressed pork—10@10 1/2c. Veals, best—12c. Lamb—14@15c. Fowls—17@18c. Broilers—22@23c. Fresh eggs—32c. Butter, creamery—30c. Butter, dairy—28@29c. Potatoes—55@60c.

## RICKER'S MARKETS REPORTS

Heavy Receipts of All Except Milk Cows.

St. Johnsbury, Oct. 6.—At W. A. Ricker's the following were the receipts for the week ending Oct. 4: Poultry—700 lbs., 10c. Lamb—650, 3@4 1/2c. Hogs—320, 5@6 1/2c. Cattle—150, 3@7c. Calves—440, 3@7 1/2c. Milk cows—60, \$40@\$75.

## IN BOSTON MARKETS

Butter Prices Going Up, Egg Supply Rather Short.

Boston, Oct. 6.—Local butter prices have been boosted another half cent a pound, making a total advance in less than a week of one and one half cents a pound. Demand is seasonably brisk and there is the usual falling off in the production common to this time of the year. But the movement is not so heavy nor supplies so meager as to fully account for such a rapid rise in prices. There is a suspicion of manipulation, for the large factors have a good deal of butter in cold storage put away at such high prices that they cannot get out whole sale at higher prices than recently prevailed. As a good many are taking advantage of the present level on which to unload, it is probable that prices will weaken again once the distributors are filled up. The cheese market continues quiet, but prices hold steady, for in the lack of an easing, the primary markets, sellers are not inclined to shade prices to help sales. Fresh eggs of all grades continue short and firm and storage eggs are moving steadily at well sustained prices.

Jobbing quotations:

Butter—Fancy northern creamery, tubs 30 1/2@31c, boxes 31 1/2@32c, prints 32@32 1/2c, fancy western creamery 30@30 1/2c, good to choice creamery 28@29c, fair to good 27@28c. Cheese—Twins, fancy 16@16 1/2c, fair to good 15@15 1/2c, Young America 17@17 1/2c. Eggs—Fancy henner 45@46c, choice eastern 41@42c, western extra 41@42c, prime firsts 33@35c, firsts 30@32c, storage extras 28@30c, firsts 26@27c.

## BEEF CATTLE HIGHER.

Heavy Stock Decidedly Firm at Brighton Market.

Brighton, Mass., Oct. 6.—Higher prices were noted at Brighton cattle market yesterday, especially for heavy beef stock and hogs. Eastern trains were on time, and receipts moved off freely. Arrivals for the day were 24 cars from the Boston & Maine railroad and eight cars from the Boston & Albany. During the week arrivals included 15 cars from the Boston & Maine and two cars from the Boston & Albany, 14 cars of cattle and 40 cars of hogs from the West, four cars of livestock from New York state, and one car from Canada. Receipts for the day at Watertown were 71 cars, including all kinds of livestock. This makes the total receipts for the week 93 cars, against 197 cars for

## SAGE AND SULPHUR DARKENS GRAY HAIR

It's Grandmother's Recipe to Restore Color, Gloss and Thick-

ness

Hair that loses its color and luster, or when it fades, turns gray, dull and lifeless, is caused by a lack of sulphur in the hair. Our grandmother made up a mixture of sage tea and sulphur to keep her locks dark and beautiful, and thousands of women and men who value their even color, that beautiful dark shade of hair which is so attractive, use only this old-time recipe.

Sometimes we get this famous mixture by asking at any drug store for a 50-cent bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," which darkens the hair so naturally, so evenly, that nobody can possibly tell it has been applied. Besides, it takes off dandruff, stops scalp itching and falling hair. You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears; but what delights the ladies with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur is that, besides beautifully darkening the hair after a few applications, it also brings back the gloss and luster and gives it an appearance of abundance.—Advt.

## LESS MEAT IF BACK AND KIDNEYS HURT

Take a Glass of Salts to Flush Kidneys  
if Bladder Bothers  
You

Eating meat regularly eventually produces kidney trouble in some form or other, says a well-known authority, because the uric acid in meat excites the kidneys, they become overworked; get sluggish; clog up and cause all sorts of distress, particularly backache and misery in the kidney region; rheumatic twinges, severe headaches, acid stomach, constipation, torpid liver, sleeplessness, bladder and urinary irritation.

The moment your back hurts or kidneys aren't acting right, or if bladder bothers you, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days, and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity; also to neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts cannot injure anyone; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink, which millions of men and women take now and then to keep the kidneys and urinary organs clean, thus avoiding serious kidney disease.—Adv.

the preceding week. Some arrangement has been made to divert some of the cars to East Somerville that have lately been coming to Brighton.

Heavy beef cattle were decidedly firmer, some fancy yoke selling at 8 1/2@8 3/4c. Average tops sold at 8@8 1/2c, with good cattle at 7 1/2@8c, and light cattle at 6 1/2@7c.

Beef cows were in better demand, though shippers found it difficult to get over 6 1/2c. Average tops sold at 5 1/2@6c, with good cows at 5@5 1/2c, ordinary cows at 4 1/2@5c, and canners at 3 1/2@4c. Bulls were in moderate supply, best animals at 6@6 1/2c, with ordinary bulls at 5@5 1/2c, and bologna bulls at 4@4 1/2c. No change was noted in calves, fancy small lots still bringing 10 1/2@11c, with good lots at 9@10c, fair lots at 8@9c, and grassers and drinkers at 6@7c.

Hogs were advanced sharply in sympathy with western and local dressed hog markets. Best lots sold at 8 1/2@8 3/4c, with rough lots at 7 1/2@8c and boars at 4@4 1/2c.

Receipts of sheep and lambs were light and prices were unchanged at 6@8c for lambs, and 4@6c for sheep. Milk cows were in heavy supply, offerings being quoted at \$50@\$65 each for ordinary milkers, with fancy milkers at \$75@125 and upward, according to quality.

Local killing of hogs has dropped to the lowest point yet noted, the total reported for the week by Boston packers being 5,000 hogs, against 8,500 for the preceding week, and 14,200 for the same week last year. Since Jan. 1, 1915, the total kill by Boston packers has been 804,000 hogs, against 728,500 for the same period in 1914.

## FEAR FOOT AND MOUTH DISEASE AT BRIGHTON

Five Hundred Cows Quarantined, Pending Determination of Suspicions

Case.

Brighton, Mass., Oct. 6.—Late yesterday afternoon a conference of federal and state inspectors of animals was held at the Brighton stockyards to determine the nature of the disease from which one of the cows there was early in the day found to be suffering. It is feared that it may be a case of the foot and mouth disease, but whether it is or not the inspectors are taking no chances. The discovery was made by state inspectors, who promptly quarantined the buildings and notified the federal officials. As there are nearly 500 cows in the barns the quarantine will prove a serious inconvenience and expense to shippers. The animals now under close observation came from the western part of the state.

## CONCORD HEARING ENDS.

Question Now Relates to Criminal Prosecutions.

Concord, N. H., Oct. 6.—Whether any criminal prosecution will follow as a result of the investigation of railroad expenditures in politics which has been before the public service commission and which was ended last night, rests with the department of justice in Washington. Counsel Benton for the commission said yesterday morning that the falsifying of vouchers disclosed in the payment of \$12,665.75 by the Boston & Maine to the Concord & Montreal was a violation of the federal statute. New Hampshire has a state law making the falsifying of a voucher a criminal offense, but it was passed in 1913 and the Weston-Kimball incident which led to the charge of "Counsel Benton that vouchers had been falsified occurred in July, 1912.

Mr. Benton yesterday morning received from Charles S. Mellon, a letter in which he stated that he is unable to appear in New Hampshire and can give no information of value in the present inquiry. Mr. Mellon writes:

Dear Sir:—Your telegram of the 2d reached me last evening on my return from New York.

I am not familiar with the transaction to which you refer and have no data at hand with which to refresh my memory and am in consequence unable to help you. I am obliged to go to New York tomorrow to be there the balance of the week engaged in conference with the counsel who have to change the criminal suit against the former directors of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad company brought by the federal authorities. My presence there is desired by both parties to the suit, both prosecution and defense. I am advised the trial, which is set for the 12th, is likely to occupy several months, and as such I desire to serve you I must, I fear, be somewhat absent-minded. I am, however, most sincerely, and most respectfully, your obedient servant, and am not without my own resources, so that what may be my inclinations.

## JOFFRE HEADS 3,760,000 MEN

The Allies' Chances Are 80  
in 100, He Told a  
Friend

READY FOR  
THE KNOCKOUT

15,000,000 Shells in Reserve  
for Emergen-  
cies

Paris, Sept. 17.—In the scale of human hazards, the allies have 80 chances in 100 of scoring a decisive victory over the Germans when the general offensive begins.

This statement was made by General Joffre to his lifelong bosom friend, the editor of the Depeche de Toulouse, I am reliably informed.

Gen. Joffre did not say when the great offensive was to start, but the impression prevails that the allies are now ready to an eyelash. In higher circles it is believed the offensive is about due.

Gen. Joffre told his friend that he now has at his disposal 3,000,000 French troops, on the line or ready to be sent there at a moment's notice, without counting about 700,000 British and 60,000 Belgian troops, cooperating with him. Ammunition has been pouring in steadily, he asserted, and in addition to the supply at the front the allies have a reserve of 15,000,000 shells for emergency use.

Every German trench, all special defenses, earthworks, blockades and kindred structures, have been patiently plotted by draughtsmen working with photographs taken by aviators in systematic flights made daily, week after week from the sea to the Alps. These blueprints have been transferred to "ranged canvases and the range worked out by artillery officers." This colossal task is complete. To meet the expected German counter attacks, the allies have prepared strong defensive works. They have constructed fourth, fifth and sixth line defenses, arranged on a scale positively awe inspiring.

In short, everything is ready for the great move. Few men know exactly when it will come but there is a strange thrill in the air. Everyone is excited without knowing exactly why.

Every hospital in the region of Paris and northward has been cleaned out; the patients have been removed to the south and every available bed made ready; hospital trains are all made up and ready to take the road. Newspapers are again barred from the front; leaves of absence have been suppressed; the class of 1916 soldiers has been assigned to their posts, the veterans who have been resting for several weeks in the interior have gone northward.

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## RUSSIA TO GET \$100,000,000 OUT OF LOAN TO ALLIES

Arrangement Made to Discount Government Bills Up to That Amount.

London, Oct. 6.—An arrangement for a commercial credit in London for Russia probably will result, the Times says, from the visit to England of Finance Minister Bark. This arrangement, it is understood, will take the form of discounting Russian government bills up to \$100,000,000.

## MORE THAN 5,000 IRON CROSSES DISTRIBUTED

Conferred on Germans, Austrians and Turk for Exceptional Military Exploits.

Berlin, by wireless to Sayville, N. Y., Oct. 6.—More than 5,000 iron crosses of the first class have been conferred on German, Austro-Hungarian and Turkish officers and soldiers for exceptional military exploits, according to the Overseas News agency.

## GRANITEVILLE.

For sale: Cook stove, kitchen table, dining chairs and other articles of furniture. A. M. Roach.



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